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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES
Preliminary March 2009
AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

BMK 08

U.S. Comparable Rate - 9.0%

COUNTY	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
				Mar 09	Feb 09	Mar 08
Statewide	2,069,955	1,856,070	213,885	10.3%	10.2%	6.3%
PURCHASE	91,599	83,360	8,239	9.0%	9.5%	6.1%
BALLARD	4,267	3,856	411	9.6%	10.2%	6.8%
CALLOWAY	17,863	16,396	1,467	8.2%	8.7%	5.8%
CARLISLE	2,256	2,052	204	9.0%	9.9%	7.0%
FULTON	2,667	2,377	290	10.9%	11.7%	7.8%
GRAVES	16,083	14,503	1,580	9.8%	10.5%	6.6%
HICKMAN	2,103	1,898	205	9.7%	9.8%	7.2%
MCCRACKEN	31,570	29,007	2,563	8.1%	8.5%	5.5%
MARSHALL	14,790	13,271	1,519	10.3%	11.0%	6.3%
PENNYRILE	97,391	86,638	10,753	11.0%	11.6%	7.9%
CALDWELL	6,847	6,145	702	10.3%	10.5%	6.5%
CHRISTIAN	29,479	26,047	3,432	11.6%	12.7%	8.4%
CRITTENDEN	4,126	3,676	450	10.9%	11.3%	6.8%
HOPKINS	22,849	20,738	2,111	9.2%	9.7%	8.3%
LIVINGSTON	4,909	4,423	486	9.9%	10.3%	6.6%
LYON	3,393	2,959	434	12.8%	13.4%	7.7%
MUHLENBERG	13,714	12,211	1,503	11.0%	11.1%	8.6%
TODD	5,499	4,870	629	11.4%	11.8%	7.1%
TRIGG	6,575	5,569	1,006	15.3%	15.2%	6.7%
GREEN RIVER	108,917	97,599	11,318	10.4%	10.3%	5.8%
DAVIESS	48,923	44,335	4,588	9.4%	9.6%	5.2%
HANCOCK	4,386	3,929	457	10.4%	9.3%	5.9%
HENDERSON	23,426	20,603	2,823	12.1%	11.3%	6.0%
MCLEAN	4,720	4,258	462	9.8%	10.9%	6.3%
OHIO	12,926	11,576	1,350	10.4%	10.3%	6.6%
UNION	8,025	7,020	1,005	12.5%	12.6%	5.7%
WEBSTER	6,511	5,878	633	9.7%	9.3%	7.0%
BARREN RIVER	140,252	124,361	15,891	11.3%	11.6%	6.0%
ALLEN	8,992	7,691	1,301	14.5%	14.9%	6.6%
BARREN	20,270	17,866	2,404	11.9%	12.3%	6.1%
BUTLER	5,828	4,945	883	15.2%	14.6%	7.8%
EDMONSON	5,548	4,795	753	13.6%	14.2%	7.7%
HART	8,440	7,588	852	10.1%	11.0%	5.9%
LOGAN	12,979	11,527	1,452	11.2%	11.0%	6.2%
METCALFE	4,716	4,037	679	14.4%	14.4%	7.0%
MONROE	5,038	4,299	739	14.7%	14.0%	8.7%
SIMPSON	9,926	8,667	1,259	12.7%	12.8%	7.5%
WARREN	58,515	52,946	5,569	9.5%	10.0%	5.1%



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LINCOLN TRAIL	128,189	112,255	15,934	12.4%	12.4%	6.9%
BRECKINRIDGE	9,541	8,396	1,145	12.0%	12.7%	8.1%
GRAYSON	11,431	9,835	1,596	14.0%	15.5%	10.2%
HARDIN	48,637	43,453	5,184	10.7%	10.5%	5.8%
LARUE	7,285	6,357	928	12.7%	12.4%	6.2%
MARION	11,029	9,550	1,479	13.4%	12.8%	6.1%
MEADE	12,049	10,462	1,587	13.2%	13.0%	7.6%
NELSON	22,419	19,227	3,192	14.2%	13.9%	7.2%
WASHINGTON	5,798	4,975	823	14.2%	13.9%	6.3%
KIPDA	469,603	421,999	47,604	10.1%	9.9%	5.9%
BULLITT	39,669	35,203	4,466	11.3%	11.4%	6.2%
HENRY	7,984	7,096	888	11.1%	10.9%	5.6%
JEFFERSON	359,586	323,186	36,400	10.1%	9.8%	6.0%
OLDHAM	27,379	25,149	2,230	8.1%	8.0%	5.0%
SHELBY	21,455	19,414	2,041	9.5%	9.1%	5.0%
SPENCER	9,045	8,037	1,008	11.1%	10.7%	6.2%
TRIMBLE	4,485	3,914	571	12.7%	11.1%	7.0%
NORTHERN KENTUCKY	227,766	205,439	22,327	9.8%	9.1%	6.0%
BOONE	62,382	56,738	5,644	9.0%	8.3%	5.4%
CAMPBELL	44,848	40,693	4,155	9.3%	8.6%	5.8%
CARROLL	5,837	5,079	758	13.0%	12.4%	7.6%
GALLATIN	4,053	3,543	510	12.6%	11.6%	8.0%
GRANT	13,014	11,442	1,572	12.1%	11.4%	7.1%
KENTON	84,661	76,488	8,173	9.7%	9.0%	5.9%
OWEN	5,408	4,839	569	10.5%	10.0%	6.5%
PENDLETON	7,563	6,617	946	12.5%	11.9%	8.7%
BUFFALO TRACE	27,444	24,067	3,377	12.3%	12.4%	7.5%
BRACKEN	4,388	3,851	537	12.2%	12.1%	7.8%
FLEMING	6,774	5,918	856	12.6%	13.2%	7.8%
LEWIS	6,003	5,105	898	15.0%	15.0%	10.3%
MASON	9,262	8,286	976	10.5%	10.2%	5.4%
ROBERTSON	1,017	907	110	10.8%	10.9%	6.6%
GATEWAY	38,695	33,819	4,876	12.6%	13.0%	8.1%
BATH	5,483	4,514	969	17.7%	18.1%	10.3%
MENIFEE	2,849	2,332	517	18.1%	18.6%	11.2%
MONTGOMERY	12,725	11,148	1,577	12.4%	13.2%	7.6%
MORGAN	5,067	4,376	691	13.6%	13.8%	10.9%
ROWAN	12,571	11,449	1,122	8.9%	9.0%	6.0%

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FIVCO	64,086	57,637	6,449	10.1%	9.4%	6.9%
BOYD	23,196	21,272	1,924	8.3%	7.7%	6.0%
CARTER	13,816	12,078	1,738	12.6%	11.6%	7.8%
ELLIOTT	3,232	2,834	398	12.3%	11.7%	7.8%
GREENUP	17,930	16,241	1,689	9.4%	8.7%	6.3%
LAWRENCE	5,912	5,212	700	11.8%	11.6%	9.2%
BIG SANDY	58,676	53,020	5,656	9.6%	9.6%	6.9%
FLOYD	15,268	13,851	1,417	9.3%	9.5%	6.9%
JOHNSON	9,587	8,613	974	10.2%	10.5%	7.3%
MAGOFFIN	4,422	3,691	731	16.5%	15.8%	11.1%
MARTIN	3,418	3,081	337	9.9%	10.8%	8.5%
PIKE	25,981	23,784	2,197	8.5%	8.1%	5.9%
KENTUCKY RIVER	42,011	37,785	4,226	10.1%	10.1%	7.4%
BREATHITT	5,634	5,069	565	10.0%	10.0%	7.4%
KNOTT	6,281	5,703	578	9.2%	9.1%	6.7%
LEE	2,721	2,412	309	11.4%	11.5%	6.9%
LESLIE	3,604	3,185	419	11.6%	12.1%	8.9%
LETCHER	8,728	7,931	797	9.1%	9.1%	7.0%
OWSLEY	1,511	1,359	152	10.1%	10.3%	8.7%
PERRY	11,223	10,111	1,112	9.9%	9.8%	6.8%
WOLFE	2,309	2,015	294	12.7%	14.3%	10.6%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	94,059	83,063	10,996	11.7%	12.0%	8.1%
BELL	9,579	8,432	1,147	12.0%	12.1%	9.3%
CLAY	6,948	6,010	938	13.5%	14.3%	10.9%
HARLAN	9,905	8,872	1,033	10.4%	10.7%	9.2%
JACKSON	4,278	3,559	719	16.8%	16.7%	12.4%
KNOX	13,061	11,552	1,509	11.6%	12.1%	7.7%
LAUREL	27,076	24,270	2,806	10.4%	10.5%	6.4%
ROCKCASTLE	7,653	6,563	1,090	14.2%	14.1%	7.9%
WHITLEY	15,559	13,805	1,754	11.3%	11.7%	7.4%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	96,187	84,915	11,272	11.7%	11.8%	7.2%
ADAIR	9,232	8,215	1,017	11.0%	12.1%	7.2%
CASEY	7,387	6,607	780	10.6%	10.7%	6.1%
CLINTON	4,813	4,273	540	11.2%	11.9%	6.9%
CUMBERLAND	3,070	2,596	474	15.4%	15.3%	9.2%
GREEN	5,737	5,043	694	12.1%	12.5%	8.0%
MCCREARY	5,920	5,067	853	14.4%	14.6%	10.0%
PULASKI	28,029	25,031	2,998	10.7%	10.8%	6.8%
RUSSELL	8,641	7,581	1,060	12.3%	12.9%	6.9%
TAYLOR	14,266	12,760	1,506	10.6%	10.2%	6.2%
WAYNE	9,092	7,742	1,350	14.8%	13.0%	8.8%

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BLUEGRASS	385,081	350,114	34,967	9.1%	9.0%	5.4%
ANDERSON	11,053	9,921	1,132	10.2%	10.0%	5.9%
BOURBON	9,780	8,882	898	9.2%	9.6%	5.6%
BOYLE	13,032	11,574	1,458	11.2%	11.0%	7.0%
CLARK	17,652	15,801	1,851	10.5%	10.6%	6.0%
ESTILL	6,342	5,486	856	13.5%	13.5%	8.4%
FAYETTE	151,057	139,925	11,132	7.4%	7.4%	4.6%
FRANKLIN	24,881	22,664	2,217	8.9%	8.7%	5.8%
GARRARD	7,854	6,943	911	11.6%	11.6%	6.5%
HARRISON	9,708	8,613	1,095	11.3%	11.1%	6.4%
JESSAMINE	23,045	21,021	2,024	8.8%	9.0%	5.3%
LINCOLN	11,035	9,618	1,417	12.8%	12.3%	7.9%
MADISON	43,473	39,422	4,051	9.3%	9.0%	5.3%
MERCER	10,920	9,686	1,234	11.3%	11.3%	6.3%
NICHOLAS	3,239	2,826	413	12.8%	12.8%	7.7%
POWELL	5,758	4,860	898	15.6%	16.1%	8.3%
SCOTT	22,935	20,584	2,351	10.3%	9.4%	5.1%
WOODFORD	13,317	12,288	1,029	7.7%	7.8%	4.3%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	64,063	57,741	6,322	9.9%	10.3%	5.3%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	55,922	49,810	6,112	10.9%	10.7%	5.9%
LEXINGTON MSA	237,787	218,501	19,286	8.1%	8.1%	4.8%
LOUISVILLE MSA	629,933	565,608	64,325	10.2%	10.0%	5.8%
OWENSBORO MSA	58,030	52,523	5,507	9.5%	9.7%	5.4%